The Board of Trustees of the City of Lodi convened in regular session, President Hale presiding; all members present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Application of W. J. Barnes for permit to construct addition to a building at 423 West Oak street was granted.

Application of W. J. Robinson to build and maintain a public scales in front of his mill at No. 12 South Stockton Street was referred to the street committee.

F. L. Marchand addressed the board in regard to a delinquent water bill which his tenant, E. E. Shultz, objected to paying. Upon motion the matter of all delinquents for water and lights was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

R. Senner applied to the board for water and sewer service at the corner of Woodbridge and Lincoln Avenues where he contemplates building a residence. The matter was referred to the Utilities Committee.

adjustment of grades on East Pine street which, upon motion of Deaver, seconded by Black, was referred to the Committee on Public Affairs to prepare and present a proper resolution or ordinance to cover the proposed changes.

The monthly report of Plumbing Inspector Henring was read and ordered filed.

Bills amounting to \$1324.95 were, allowed and ordered paid.

The Committee on Finance and Revenue presented a written report in the matter of City Treasurer's bond, recommending that the amount be fixed at \$40,000. Upon motion regularly made and seconded the recommendation of the committee was adopted by the following vote: Aves -- Black, Keeney, Deaver, Hale. Noes -- Folendorf.

Superintendent of Public Utilities Hepping made verbal report in the matter of electric service in the newly annexed district, now owned by the Western States Gas and Electric Company, to the effect that the company is willing to enter into negotiations with the city as to taking over the business.

Upon motion regularly made and seconded the Utilities Committee was instructed to take up, with full power to act, the matter of constructing a sewer on Main street to give service to the fruit sheds of J. V. Bare and others.

The matter of putting on a third street sprinkling wagon and of sprinkling the streets with light oil was informally discussed and referred to the street superintendent.

Upon motion the Superintendent of Public Utilities was authorized to extend the water system in order to give service to Mrs. L. Bechtold at 320 North Pleasant Avenue.

The City Marshal reported that waste paper refuse cans on the streets are being used for swill and garbage contrary to the purpose for which they were intended.

Upon motion duly made and seconded the board adjourned to meet Weanesday, May 20th, at 7:30 p.m.

Attest: . . .

City Clerk.